

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:	Confirmation No.: 9520
Hiroshi MATSUDA et al.	Art Unit: 3652
Application No.: 10/576,347	Examiner: Paul T. CHIN
Filed: April 18, 2006	Attorney Dkt. No.: 062533.00044
For: ROBOT HAND APPARATUS	

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

February 24, 2010

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 1, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

**Amendments to the claims are submitted beginning on page 2.**

**Remarks are submitted beginning on page 5.**